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1. ACTION ADDRESSEES WILL HAVE ALREADY RECEIVED THE TEXT

OF THE STATEMENT BY THE GKR FOREIGN MINISTER OF JULY 6 CALLING FOR THE REACTIVATION OF THE ICC AND IMMEDIATE IMPLEMENTATION OF ARTICLE 20 OF THE 1973 PARIS AGREEMENT. REF B CONTAINED THE STATEMENT RELEASED BY THE DEPARTMENT'S SPOKESMAN JULY 9 SUPPORTING THE GKR INITIATIVE.

2. ACTION ADDRESSEES SHOULD APPROACH THE HIGHEST APPROPRIATE LEVELS OF THE HOST GOVERNMENT IN SUPPORT OF GKR'S INITIATIVE IN RECONVENING THE ICC. WE UNDERSTAND GKR FONMIN HOPES TO VISIT CANADA SOON (SEE SAIGON 12260). EMBASSY OTTAWA MAY INQUIRE ABOUT THIS AND USE OCCASION TO EXPLORE GOC ATTITUDE.

3. WHILE REASONS, SUCH AS THOSE IN REF C, WILL BE PUT FORTH AS RATIONALE FOR IMPOSSIBILITY OF ICC FUNCTIONING IN CAMBODIA, MISSIONS IN THEIR APPROACHES SHOULD STRESS THE DESIRABILITY OF HOST GOVERNMENTS MAKING PUBLIC STATEMENTS IN FAVOR OF REACTIVATED ICC AND A CEASE-FIRE. YOU SHOULD NOTE THAT WE TAKE THIS KHMER INITIATIVE SERIOUSLY AND THAT SUPPORTIVE PUBLIC STATEMENTS CAN CONTRIBUTE TO ACHIEVING A

PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE CAMBODIAN PROBLEM. DEPARTMENT BELIEVES THAT NECESSARY PLANNING AND PREPARATION SHOULD BEGIN NOW IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO RESUME COMMISSION ACTIVITIES IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING CESSATION OF COMBAT. RUSH

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